

September 11, 2007

MEMORANDUM TO: Luis A. Reyes  
Executive Director for Operations

FROM: Annette L. Vietti-Cook, Secretary **/RA/**

SUBJECT: STAFF REQUIREMENTS - SECY-07-0104 - PROPOSED  
RULEMAKING - ALTERNATE FRACTURE TOUGHNESS  
REQUIREMENTS FOR PROTECTION AGAINST PRESSURIZED  
THERMAL SHOCK EVENTS (RIN 3150-A101)

The Commission has approved publication of a proposed rule, 10 CFR 50.61a, "Alternative Fracture Toughness Requirements for Protection Against Pressurized Thermal Shock Events," for a 75-day public comment period.

cc: Chairman Klein  
Commissioner Jaczko  
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